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For: MICROPOROUS INKJET RECEPTORS CONTAINING BOTH A  
PIGMENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM & A FLUID MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to taking up the above-identified application for examination, please amend the  
application as follows:

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02 P0102In the Specification

At page 2, line 24, delete "a ink" and insert --an ink-- therefore.

At page 3, line 1, delete "is opened" and insert --are opened-- therefore.

At page 3, line 3, before "order" insert --the--.

At page 4, line 29, delete "fast the focus is" and insert --fast; the focus was-- therefore.

At page 5, line 11, delete "function" and insert --functional-- therefore.

At page 5, line 12, delete "cross linked" and insert --crosslinked-- therefore.

At page 5, line 15, delete "This patent".

At page 5, line 31, delete "Appln. Serial No. 554,256" and insert --No. 5,747,148--  
therefore.

At page 8, line 1, delete "impregnating" and insert --impregnated-- therefore.